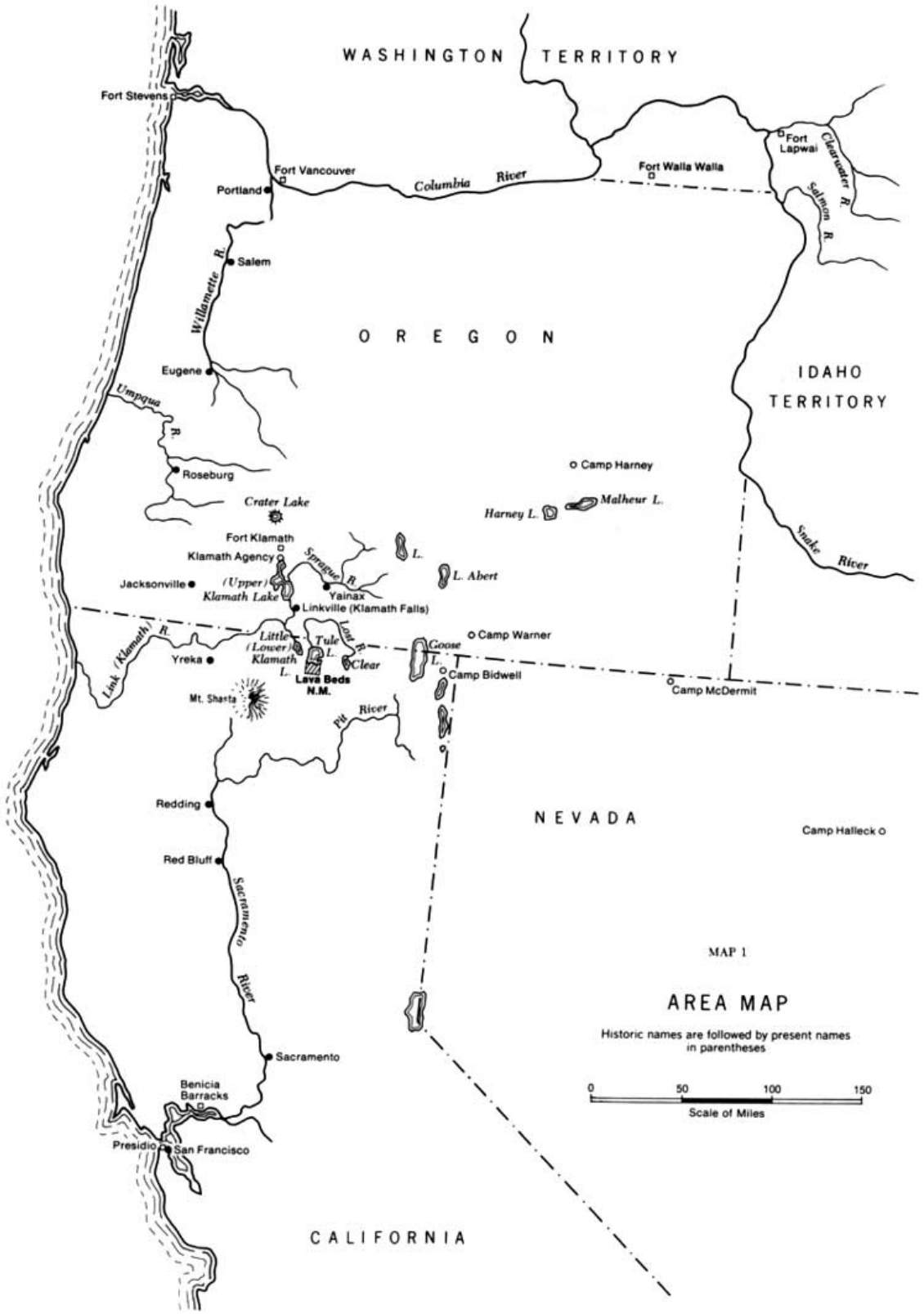
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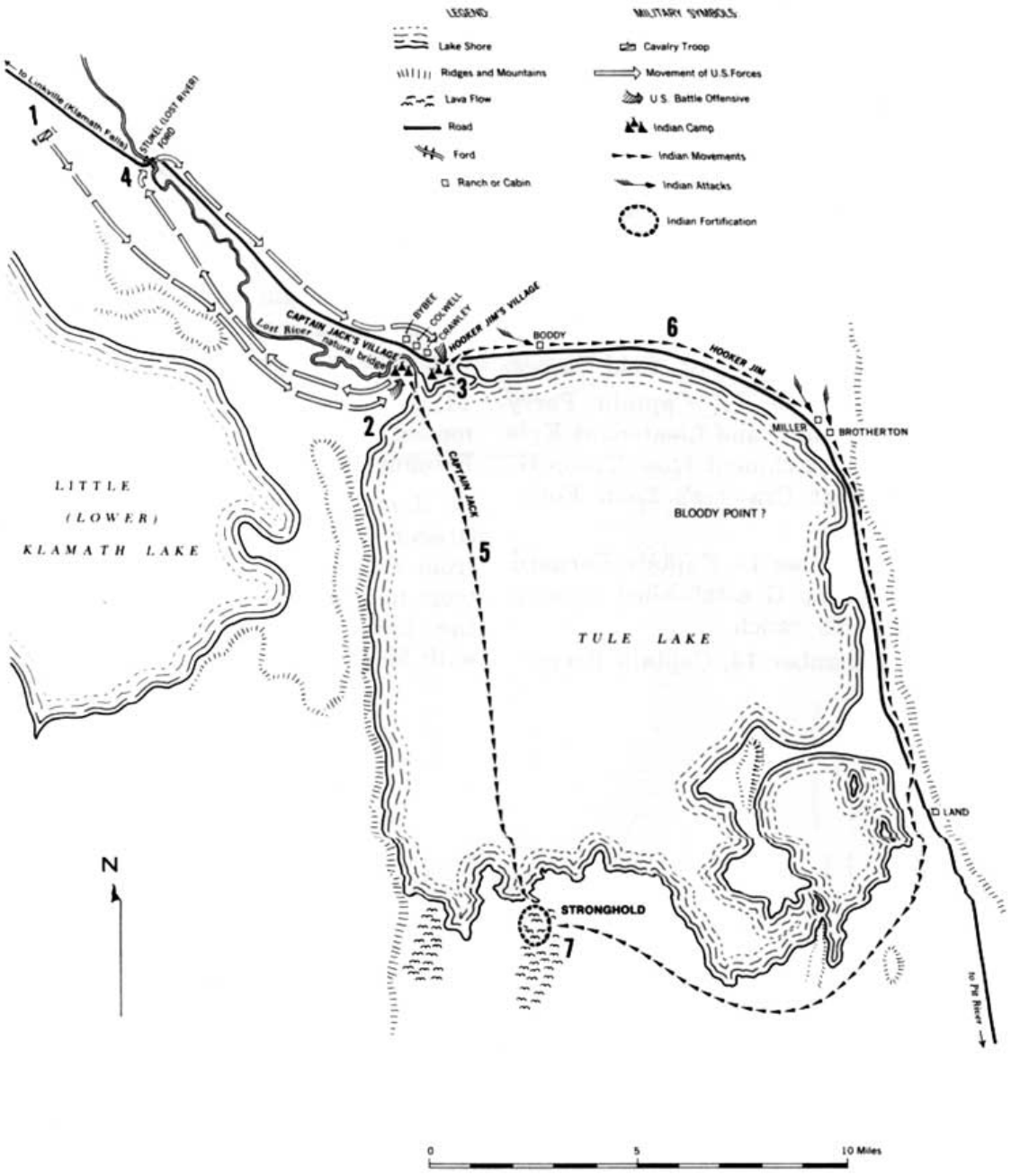
Fort Stevens
Fort Vancouver
Portland
Columbia River
Fort Walla Walla
Fort Lapwai
Clearwater R.
Salmon R.
Willamette R.
Salem
OREGON
IDAHO TERRITORY
Eugene
Umpqua R.
Roseburg
Camp Harney
Crater Lake
Harney L.
Malheur L.
Fort Klamath
Klamath Agency
Sprague R.
L.
L. Abert
Jacksonville
(Upper) Klamath Lake
Yainax
Linkville (Klamath Falls)
Snake River
Little (Lower) Klamath L.
Tule L.
Lost R.
Clear
Goose L.
Camp Warner
Yreka
Link (Klamath) R.
Lava Beds N.M.
Camp Bidwell
Camp McDermit
Mt. Shasta
Pit River
Redding
NEVADA
Camp Halleck
Red Bluff
Sacramento River
Sacramento
Benicia Barracks
Presidio
San Francisco
CALIFORNIA
MAP 1
AREA MAP
Historic names are followed by present names in parentheses
0
50
100
150
Scale of Miles

MAP 2

LOST RIVER FIGHT

Nov. 29, 1872



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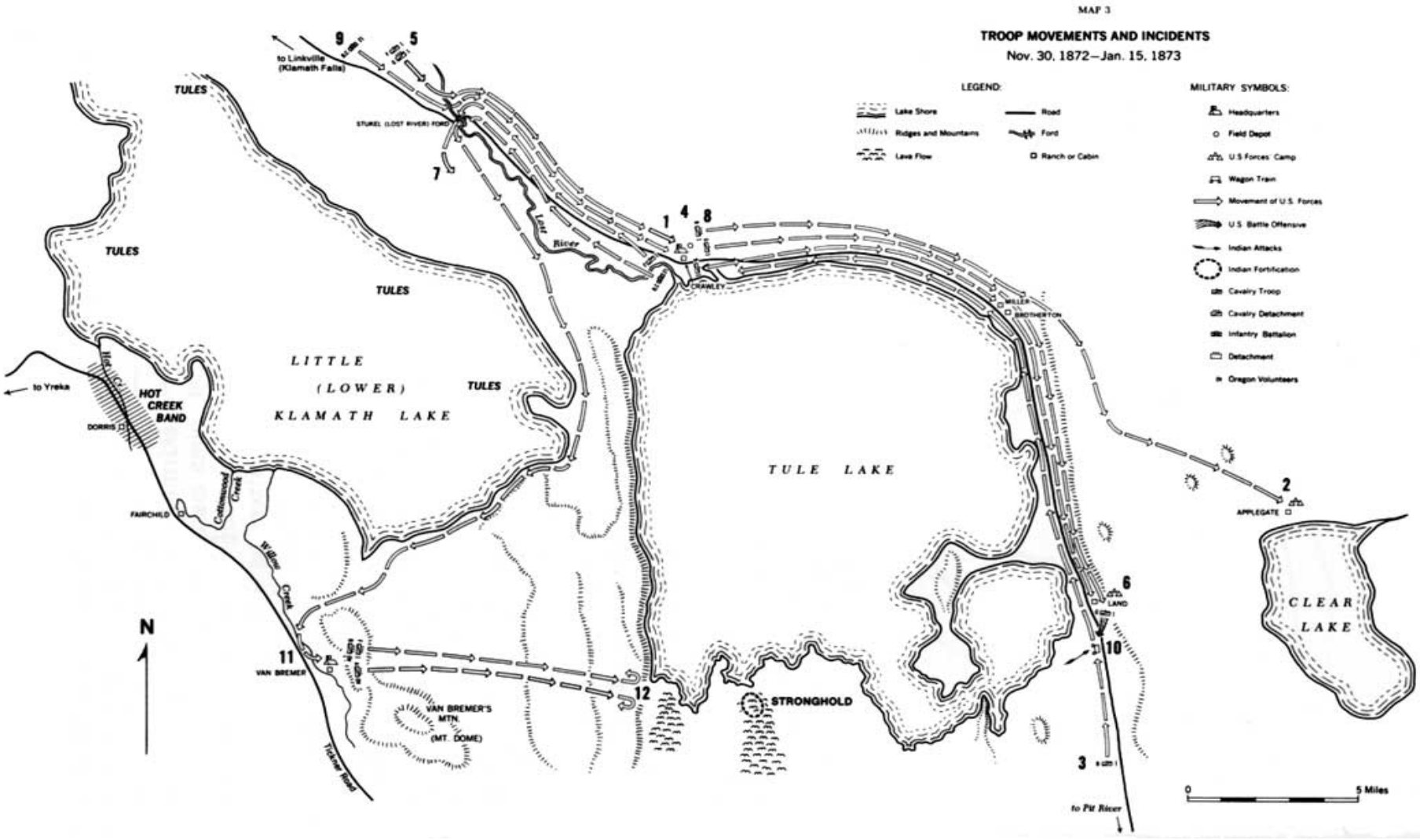
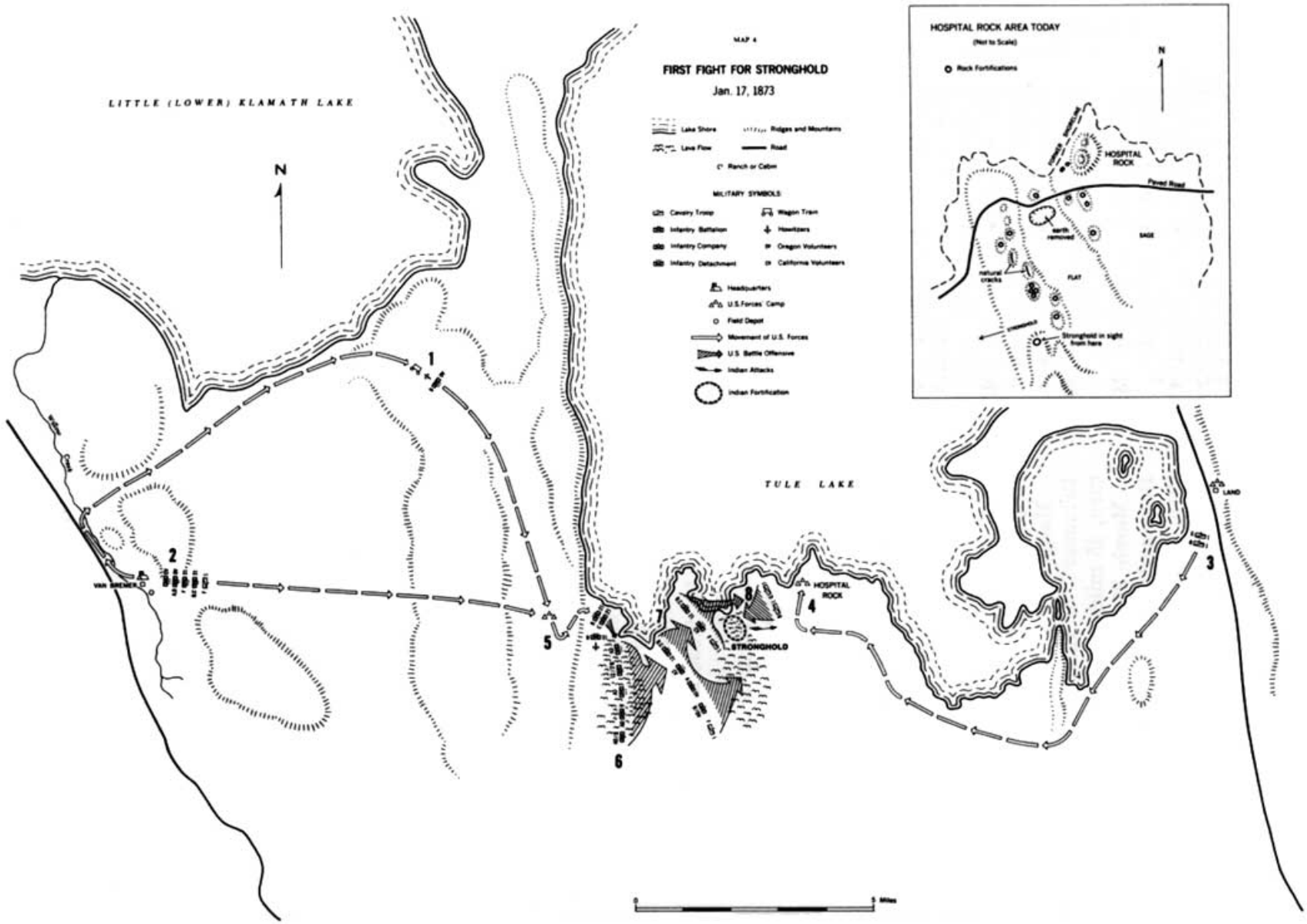
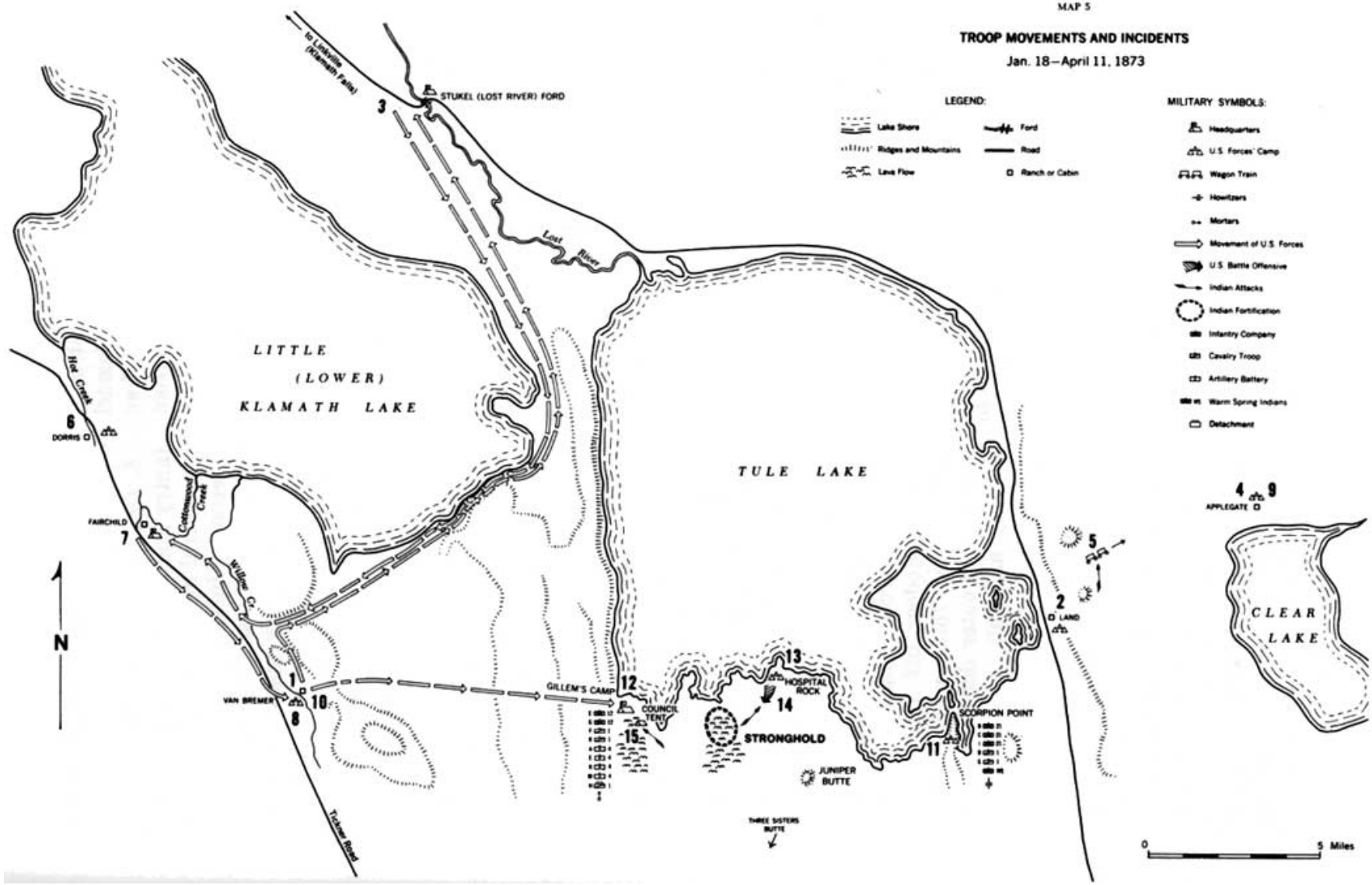

TROOP MOVEMENTS AND INCIDENTS
Nov. 30, 1872–Jan. 15, 1873
LEGEND:
Lake Shore
Ridges and Mountains
Lava Flow
Road
Ford
Ranch or Cabin
MILITARY SYMBOLS:
Headquarters
Field Depot
U.S Forces' Camp
Wagon Train
Movement of U.S. Forces
U.S. Battle Offensive
Indian Attacks
Indian Fortification
Cavalry Troop
Cavalry Detachment
Infantry Battalion
Detachment
Oregon Volunteers
to Linkville (Klamath Falls)
STUREL (LOST RIVER) FORD
Lost River
CRAWLEY
MILLER
BROTHERTON
APPLEGATE
LAND
TULES
LITTLE (LOWER) KLAMATH LAKE
TULE LAKE
CLEAR LAKE
HOT CREEK BAND
to Yreka
DORRIS
Hot Creek
FAIRCHILD
Cottonwood Creek
Willow Creek
VAN BREMER
VAN BREMER'S MTN. (MT. DOME)
STRONGHOLD
Tickner Road
to Pit River
N
0
5 Miles

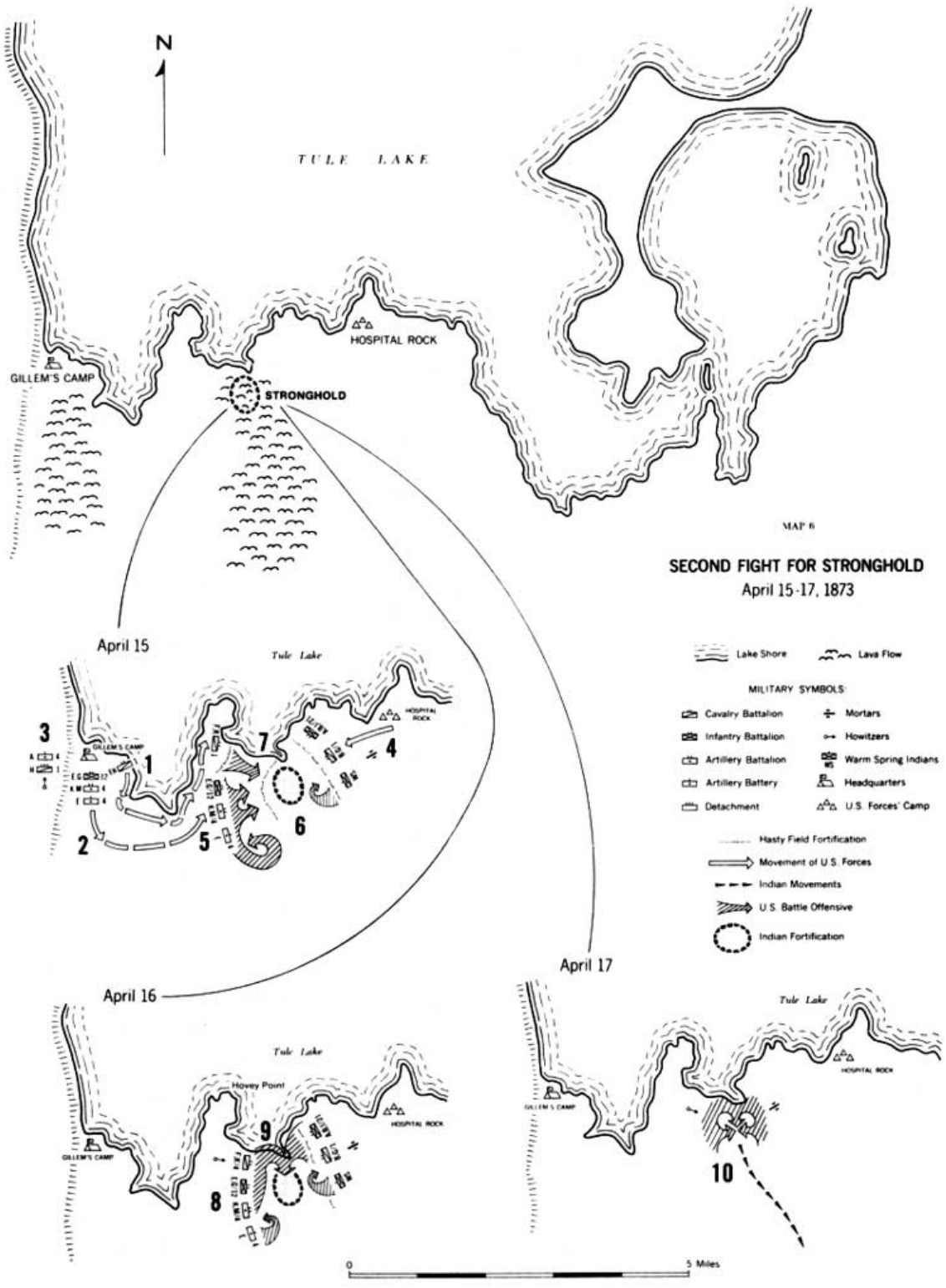

MAP 4
FIRST FIGHT FOR STRONGHOLD
Jan. 17, 1873
LITTLE (LOWER) KLAMATH LAKE
TULE LAKE
N
Lake Shore
Lava Flow
Ridges and Mountains
Road
Ranch or Cabin
MILITARY SYMBOLS
Cavalry Troop
Infantry Battalion
Infantry Company
Infantry Detachment
Wagon Train
Howitzers
Oregon Volunteers
California Volunteers
Headquarters
U.S. Forces' Camp
Field Depot
Movement of U.S. Forces
U.S. Battle Offensive
Indian Attacks
Indian Fortification
VAN BREMER
HOSPITAL ROCK
STRONGHOLD
1
2
3
4
5
6
7
8
HOSPITAL ROCK AREA TODAY
(Not to Scale)
Rock Fortifications
Paved Road
earth removed
SAGE
FLAT
natural cracks
Stronghold in sight from here
LAND

MAP 5

TROOP MOVEMENTS AND INCIDENTS

Jan. 18–April 11, 1873





MAP 6

SECOND FIGHT FOR STRONGHOLD

April 15-17, 1873

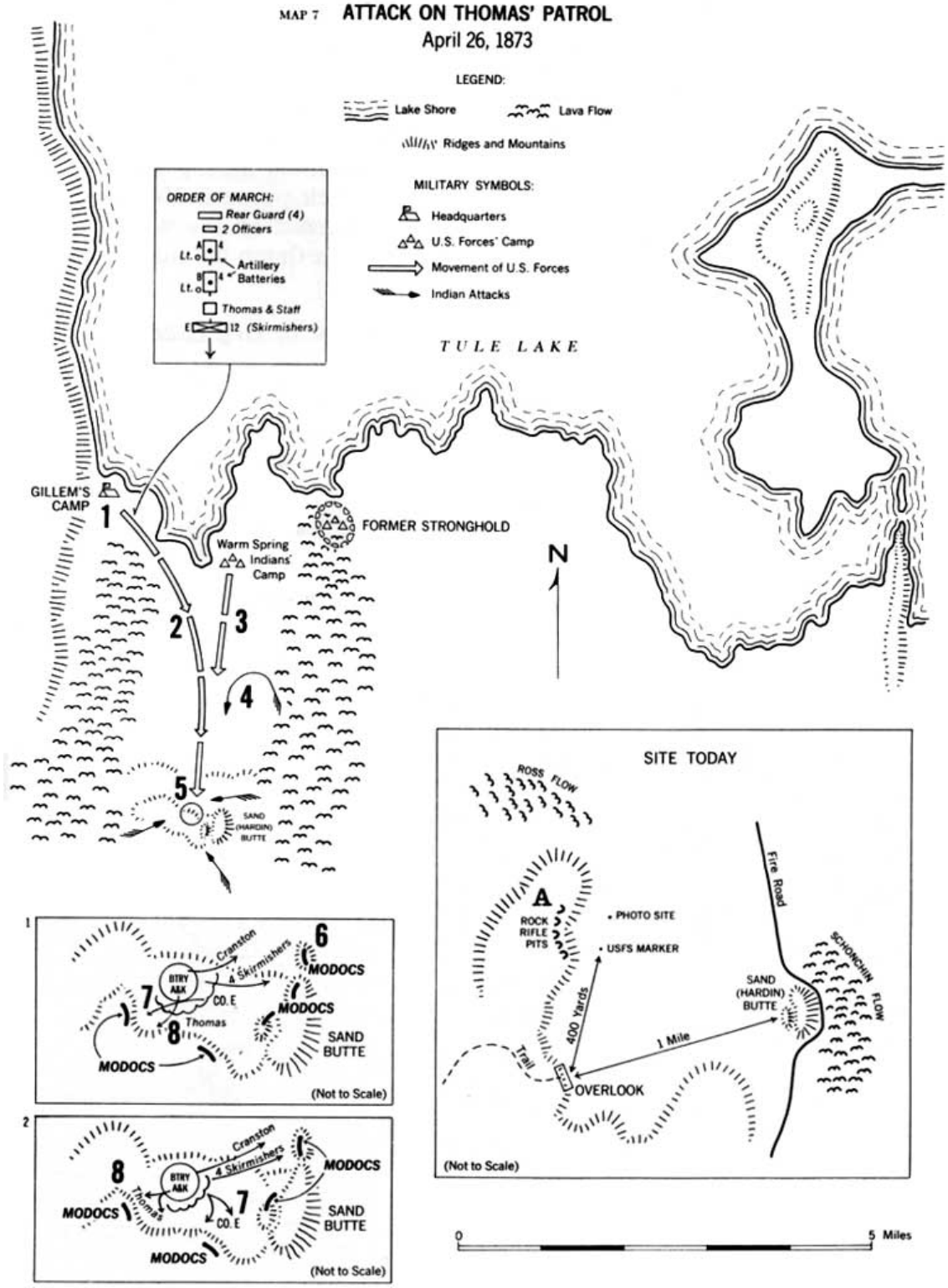
Lake Shore
Lava Flow

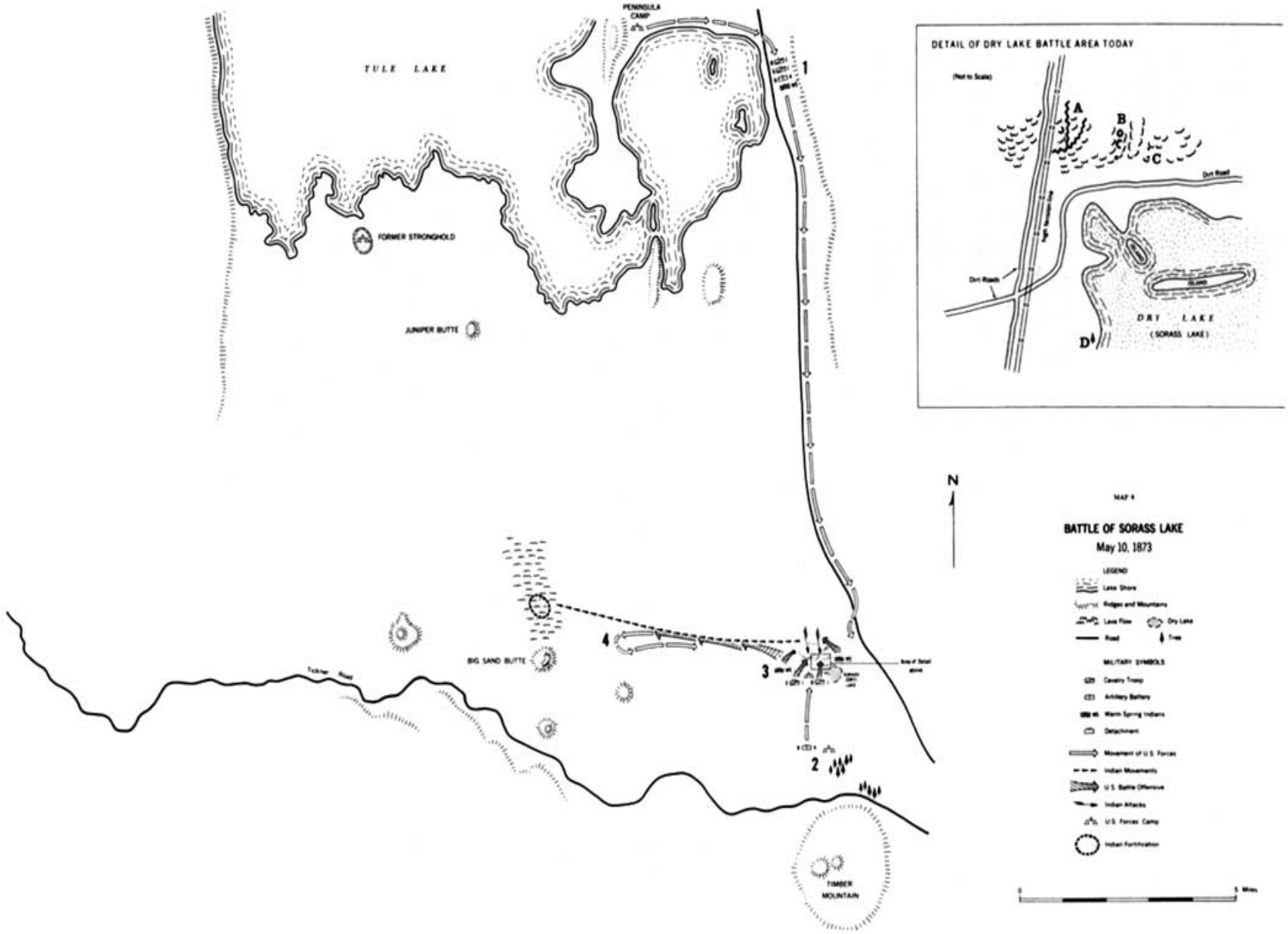
MILITARY SYMBOLS

Cavalry Battalion
Infantry Battalion
Artillery Battalion
Artillery Battery
Detachment
Mortars
Howitzers
Warm Spring Indians
Headquarters
U.S. Forces' Camp

Hasty Field Fortification
Movement of U.S. Forces
Indian Movements
U.S. Battle Offensive
Indian Fortification

MAP 7 **ATTACK ON THOMAS' PATROL**
April 26, 1873




PENINSULA CAMP
TULE LAKE
FORMER STRONGHOLD
JUNIPER BUTTE
BIG SAND BUTTE
Tickner Road
TIMBER MOUNTAIN
1
2
3
4
DETAIL OF DRY LAKE BATTLE AREA TODAY
(Not to Scale)
A
B
C
D
Dirt Road
Dirt Roads
DRY LAKE
(SORASS LAKE)
N
MAP 4
BATTLE OF SORASS LAKE
May 10, 1873
LEGEND
Lake Shore
Ridges and Mountains
Lava Flow
Dry Lake
Road
Tree
MILITARY SYMBOLS
Cavalry Troop
Artillery Battery
Warm Spring Indians
Detachment
Movement of U.S. Forces
Indian Movements
U.S. Battle Offensive
Indian Attacks
U.S. Forces Camp
Indian Fortification
0
5 Miles

MAP 9

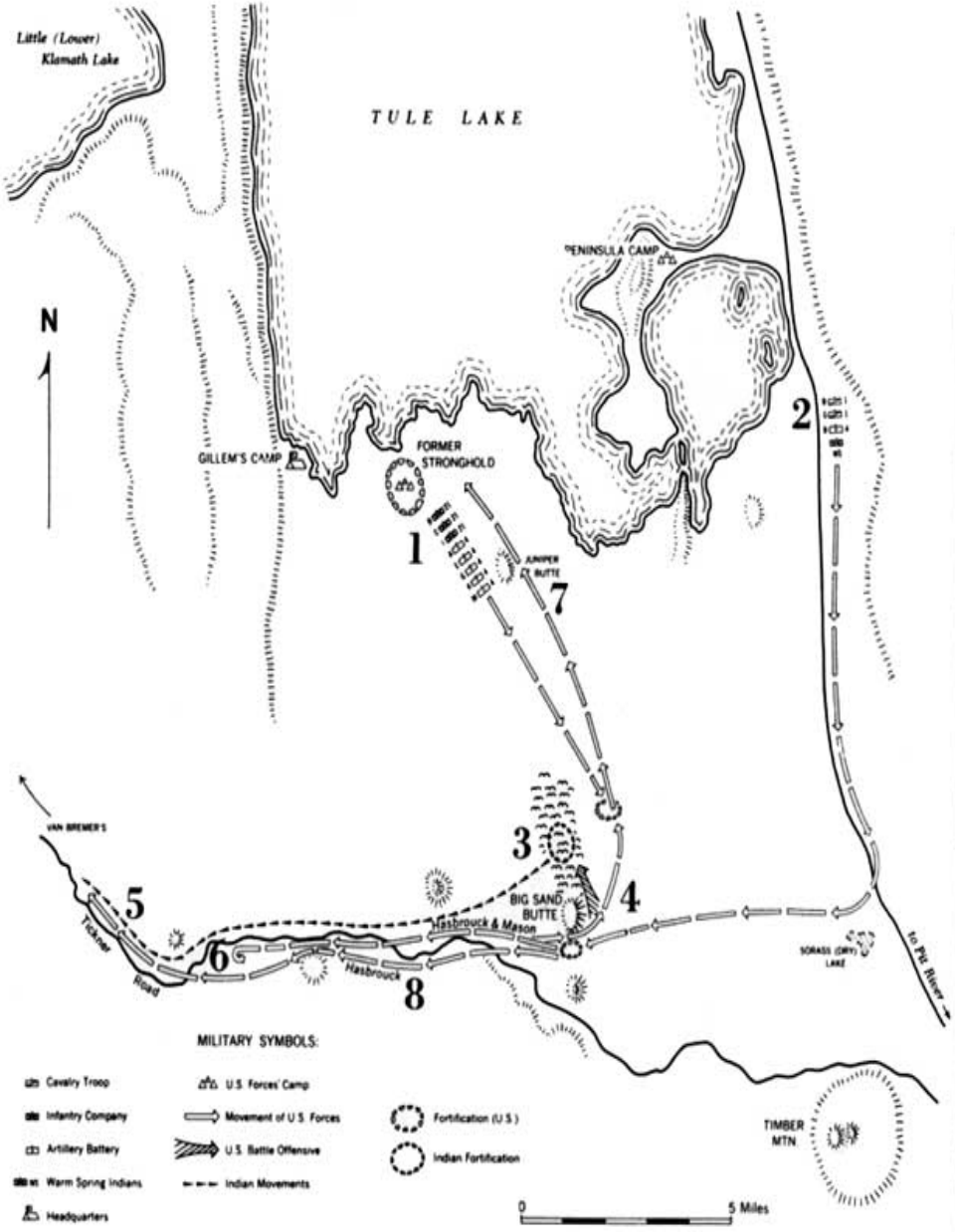
OPERATIONS AGAINST MODOCS

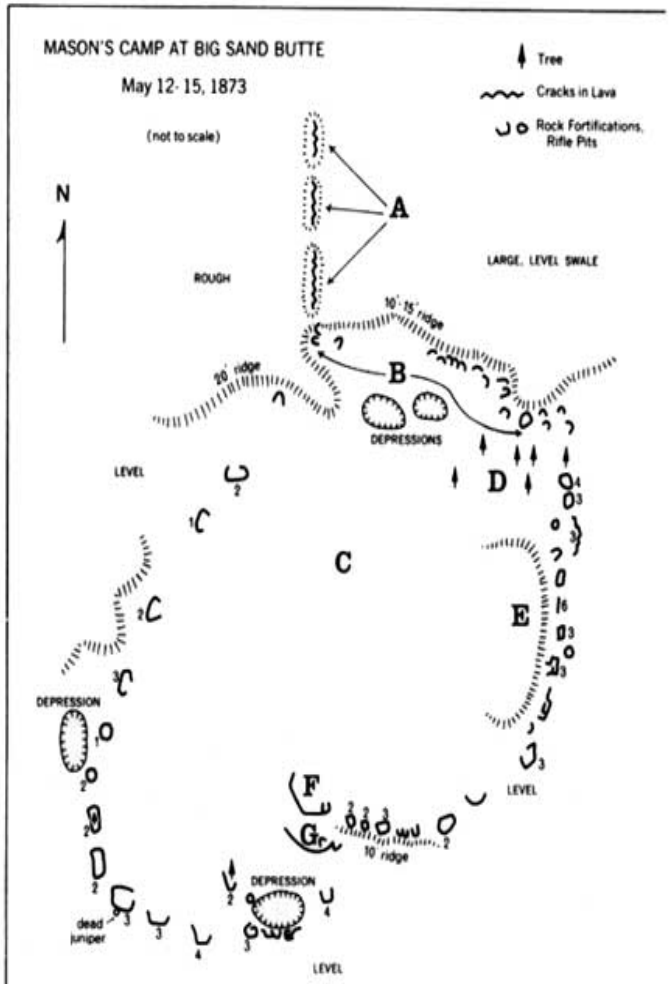
May 12-17, 1873

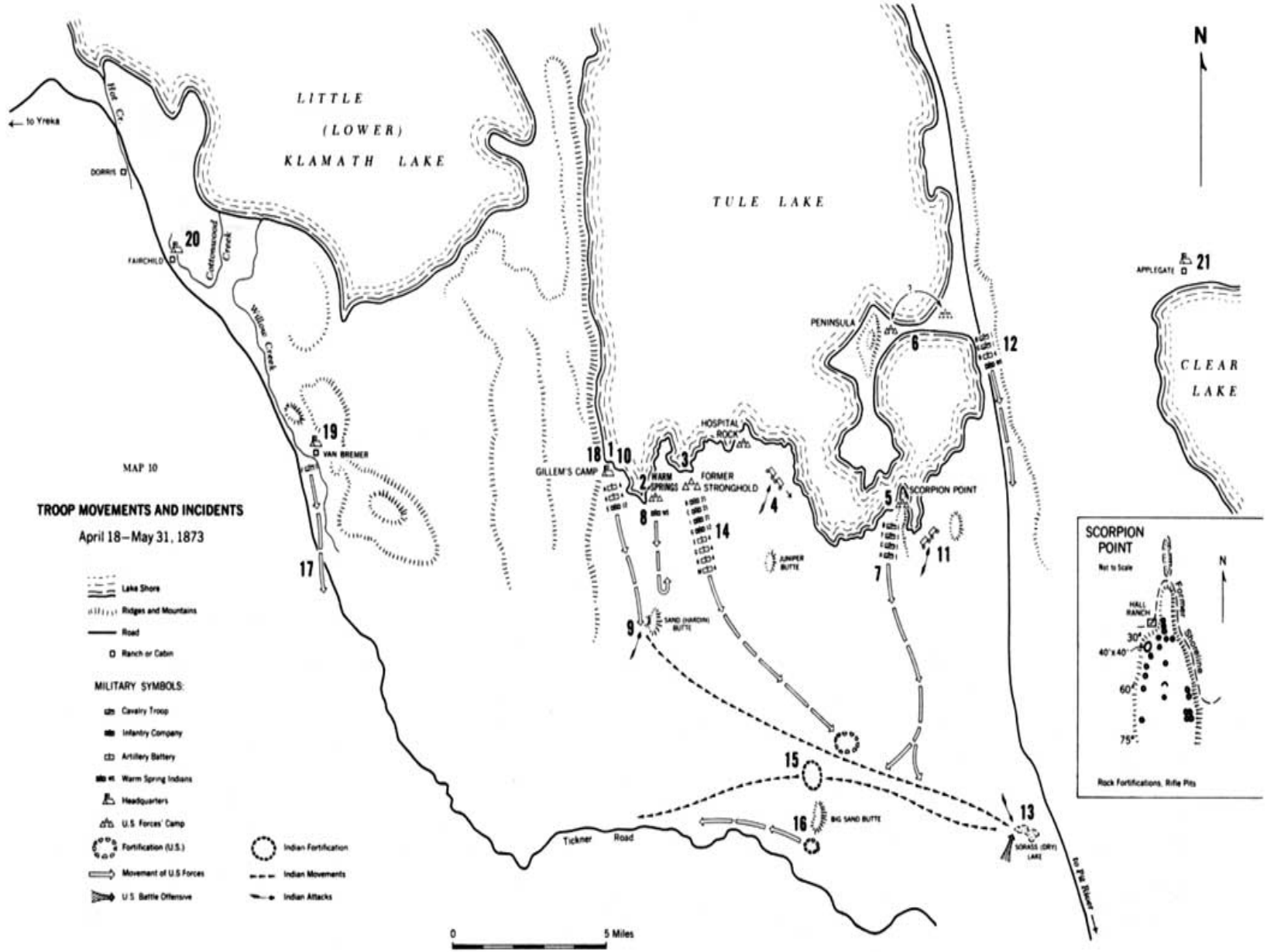
(HASBROUCK AND MASON)

MILITARY SYMBOLS
(see below, left)

LEGEND:
- Lake Shore
- Lava Flow
- Ridges and Mountains
- Road



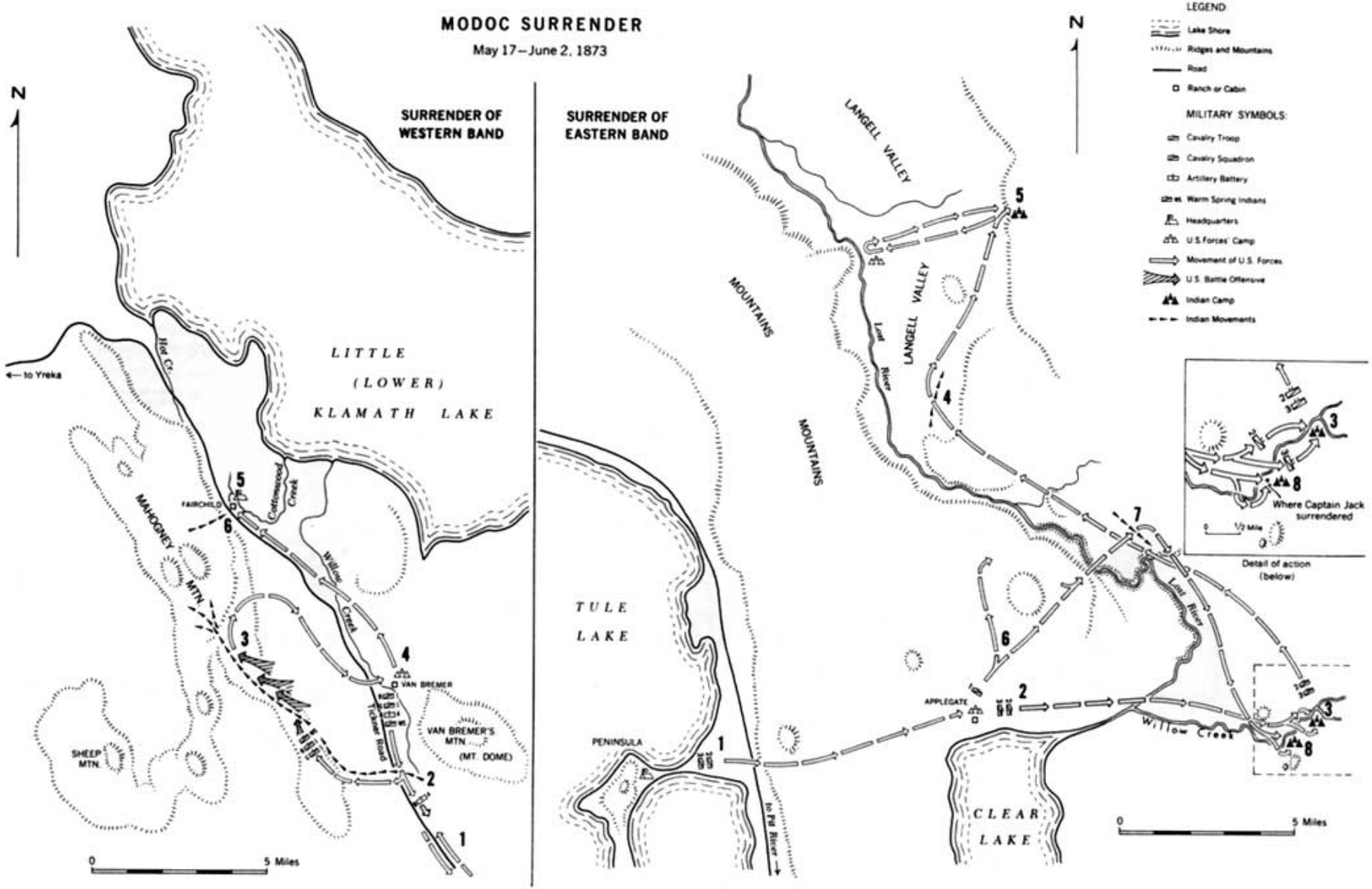


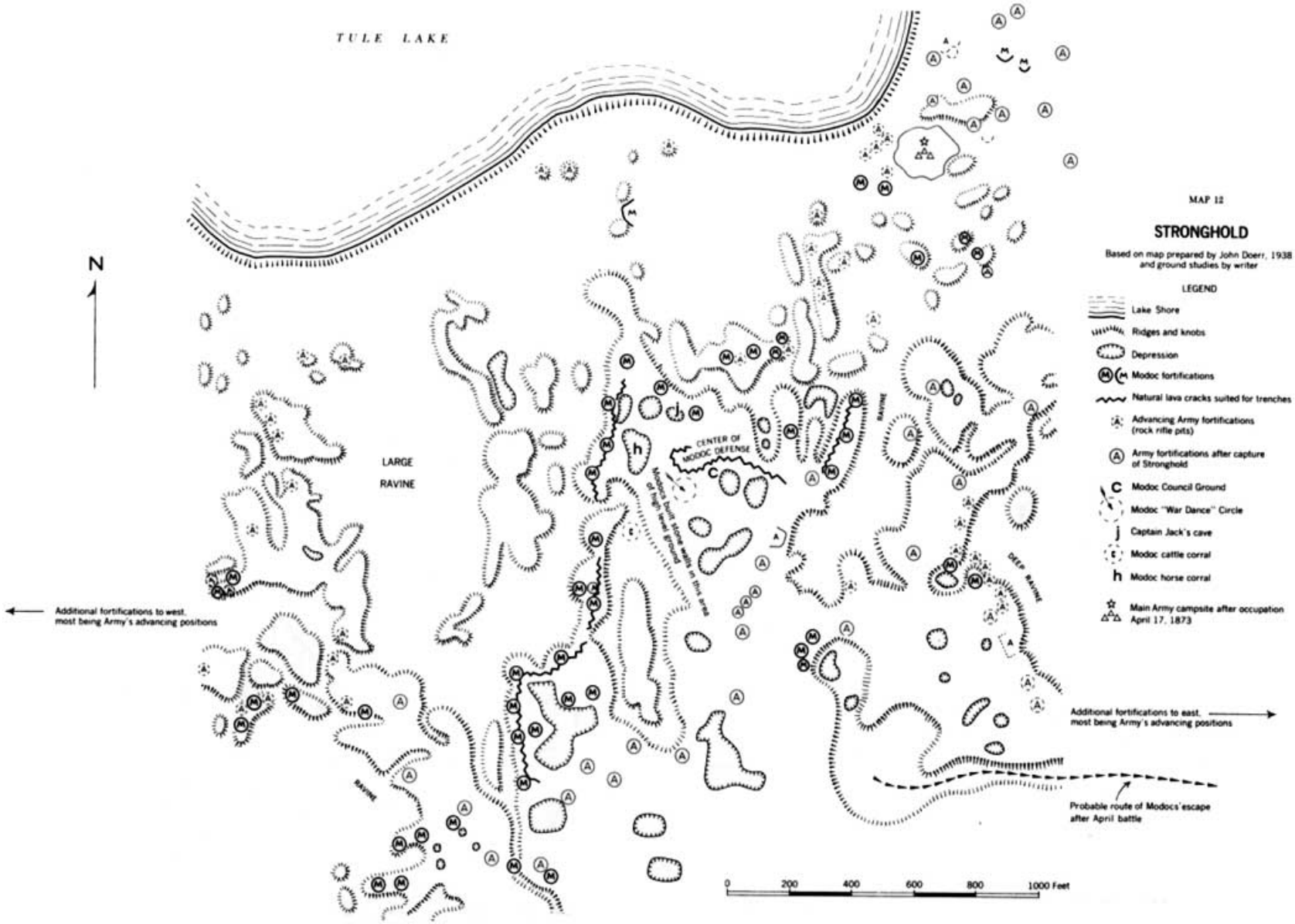

LITTLE
(LOWER)
KLAMATH LAKE
TULE LAKE
CLEAR
LAKE
← to Yreka
Hot Cr.
DORRIS
FAIRCHILD
Cottonwood Creek
Willow Creek
VAN BREMER
GILLEM'S CAMP
WARM SPRINGS
HOSPITAL ROCK
FORMER STRONGHOLD
PENINSULA
SCORPION POINT
JUNIPER BUTTE
SAND (HARDIN) BUTTE
BIG SAND BUTTE
SORASS (DRY) LAKE
Tickner Road
to Fort Bidwell
APPLEGATE
N
0
5 Miles
MAP 10
TROOP MOVEMENTS AND INCIDENTS
April 18–May 31, 1873
Lake Shore
Ridges and Mountains
Road
Ranch or Cabin
MILITARY SYMBOLS:
Cavalry Troop
Infantry Company
Artillery Battery
Warm Spring Indians
Headquarters
U.S. Forces' Camp
Fortification (U.S.)
Movement of U.S Forces
U.S. Battle Offensive
Indian Fortification
Indian Movements
Indian Attacks
SCORPION POINT
Not to Scale
HALL RANCH
30°
40°x40°
60°
75°
Rock Fortifications, Rifle Pits

MAP 11

MODOC SURRENDER

May 17–June 2, 1873




TULE LAKE
N
LARGE
RAVINE
CENTER OF
MODOC DEFENSE
Modocs built stone walls in this area
of high level ground
RAVINE
DEEP RAVINE
RAVINE
Additional fortifications to west,
most being Army's advancing positions
Additional fortifications to east,
most being Army's advancing positions
Probable route of Modocs' escape
after April battle
0 200 400 600 800 1000 Feet
MAP 12
STRONGHOLD
Based on map prepared by John Doerr, 1938
and ground studies by writer
LEGEND
Lake Shore
Ridges and knobs
Depression
Modoc fortifications
Natural lava cracks suited for trenches
Advancing Army fortifications
(rock rifle pits)
Army fortifications after capture
of Stronghold
C Modoc Council Ground
Modoc "War Dance" Circle
j Captain Jack's cave
c Modoc cattle corral
h Modoc horse corral
Main Army campsite after occupation
April 17, 1873